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In the Application of)	Examiner: Jessica L. Laux
ROBERT E. OIDTMAN)	Art Unit: 3635
Application No. 10/826,753)	
Filed April 16, 2004)	
For BRACKET AND POLE ASSEMBLY)	

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
PO Box 1450
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Dear Sir:

Please amend the above-cited patent application without prejudice as set forth below.

AMENDMENTS

- a. Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.
- b. Remarks** begin on page 7 of this paper.